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SPEAKING THE SHIPS.

Untraveled dweller by the haven side,
I saw the great ships come, sojourn a day,
Then set their eager sails, their anchor weigh
And give themselves to rocking wind and tide.
I spake them not, nor they to me replied
Of where their void and lonely journey lay.
Now, since my lips have tasted midsea spray,
In common speech I hail those wanderers wide.
To this, "Proud Scotia gave thy ribs to thee!"
To this, "Thy masts have known the Apennines!"
Or, "Tagus empties where thy frame was planned!"
Or, "Say, thou gallant one, if true it be,
Thou hither camst with hoard of Levant wines
And dulcet fruits from many a sun loved land!"

—Edith M. Thomas in Century.

A FRIENDLY RUSE.

Mr. Garraway stood up as young Mrs. Bradshaw rose from her seat at the dinner table. It had been rather a quiet dinner, and he had had to do nearly all the talking. Bradshaw opened the door, and Mr. Garraway noticed that each avoided looking at the other. Ernest Bradshaw closed the door and came back to the table. He cracked a walnut, and on opening it threw it into the fire.

"Bad?" said Mr. Garraway. He was starting a cigar and he had refilled his glass. He was perfectly at home with the Bradshaws.

"Yes," said young Mr. Bradshaw violently. "Of course it's bad. Worst of it is that you never know until you try."

Mr. Garraway owed his success as a solicitor mainly to knowing exactly when not to do the wrong thing. Young Bradshaw lighted a cigar and after a few puffs let it go out. Then he stood up with his back to the fire—it was his fire—and looked at Garraway.

"I want to ask you something, Garraway. Do you ever have people coming to you to draw up deeds of separation?"

"Oh, yes; pretty often."

"Well, would you mind being of some use to me—and to Ellen?"

"Why, certainly. I've known you both—Mrs. Bradshaw especially—for a long time. But you two don't want to be separated? Why, man alive, you haven't been married a year!"

"Garraway, look here. We have had a row, a dispute, or whatever you like to call it."

"What I should call it," said Garraway, rising and speaking with some asperbity, "would be a little disagreement between two excellent young people who ought to know better."

"Nevertheless, my dear Garraway"—the young husband's lips quivered—"nevertheless we have agreed to part."

On the piano in the drawing room up stairs a few chords were struck and the clear voice of Mrs. Bradshaw rang out. Garraway, getting on in the thirties, and sober man of law, found the hand that held his cigar shaking for a moment.

"You see," said Bradshaw; "perfectly jolly over it."

There was a sudden stop and a crash on the piano, as though the player could keep it up no longer.

"Look here, Bradshaw"—Mr. Garraway passed his hand carefully over his smooth, spare hair—"look here. Call at my place at 11 tomorrow morning, and I'll do what is wanted."

"Thank you, Garraway."

"Shall we go up stairs? I must arrange with her."

The demure, precise little clock on the mantelpiece in Mr. Garraway's chambers struck 11 o'clock. A small boy entered with a card.

"Thank you, Judd. Show the lady in, Mr. Gibson."

Mr. Gibson withdrew his work to the outer office, stepping aside at the door to permit a slim, girlish figure to enter.

"How do you do, Mr. Garraway? I'm not late, am I? I did not know the place, and I had a little difficulty. I presume you are aware of the nature of my errand?" said the visitor.

"We often have little difficulties in the law, Mrs. Bradshaw. If everything worked smoothly, we would starve. I had no chance of speaking to you last night," said Mr. Garraway, "excepting to ask you to call, but I had a brief conversation with Bradshaw, and he assured me that you had quite made up your mind about the matter."

"He is, in this particular instance, quite right." She put her lips together and looked as determined as she could.

"And so I am to draw up the deed of separation?"

"If you please."

"It's rather rough on me," went on Mr. Garraway, with an effort at humor. "Why, it seems only yesterday that I was his best man, and you and he went away to Neuchatel, and we cheered you as you left Victoria station. Do you remember?"

"Would you mind telling me, please, when the document can be drawn?"

"And do you remember your first dinner after your return, and how jolly we all were? Why, you were as comfortable as anything until a week or so ago—weren't you?"

"What I propose to do," said the stern young lady, with just the suspicion of a catch in her voice, "is to go abroad with my aunt for a year or two and leave the house just as it stands for Ernest to live in. He can get a housekeeper, you see, and"—

"By Jove!" cried Mr. Garraway. "That's not a bad idea!"

"You think—you think it will work all right, Mr. Garraway?"

"Oh, I think so! I'll tell you why. Of course you want Ernest to be comfortable, don't you?"

There was a softening of her eyes.

"Oh, yes! It is only our one great quarrel of last week that is parting us, and"—

"I know; I know. Now, look here, Mrs. Bradshaw. I wouldn't take so much trouble if I were only your lawyer, but I'm your friend as well, am I not?"

"Dear Mr. Garraway, we two have always been good friends."

"Well, will you allow me, then, as an old friend, to give you a little advice? I should advise you to make up this difference of opinion with Ernest. I'm told—of course I'm only a bachelor—but I'm told that all young couples have their quarrels to begin with, and they do say—here again I speak, of course, as a mere bachelor—that the making up is always the most delightful part of it."

"Mr. Garraway, I thought you would argue in that way, and it is very good of you, but my mind was made up before I came here, and nothing that you can say will alter it. A woman must judge for herself in these matters."

"Quite so. I think that to a certain extent you are right, and if it is useless to say anything after your present resolution, why"—

"You may be sure of that," said young Mrs. Bradshaw confidently. "Ernest must put up with the consequences. And you will see to the drawing up of the deed?"

"It shall be put in hand at once."

"I should like to leave London this day week if possible."

"I dare say," said Mr. Garraway, with great amiability, "that that can be managed."

"There is only the question of a housekeeper. Somebody must be there to look after the servants."

"It is there I think I can be of some assistance to Ernest." Mr. Garraway spoke with genial assurance. "It so happens that a client of mine is looking for precisely a situation of this kind."

"How extremely fortunate!"

"She is a good manager, she's a widow, and she has had charge of a house similar to yours."

"That's capital. As I say, I shouldn't like the house to go to rack and ruin. When could this old lady come, do you think?"

"This—who?"

"This old lady. The widow. When could she come?"

"Oh, but"—Mr. Garraway smiled pleasantly—'you are laboring under a slight mistake, Mrs. Bradshaw. The lady is not old."

"Oh! She is not young, I suppose?"

"Well, as a matter of fact, she is rather young. By the bye, I ought to have her portrait here somewhere."

It had cost Mr. Garraway a shilling, this cabinet portrait, in a shop in the Strand that morning. The shopman couldn't tell him who it was, didn't know her from Adam, he said, but she was an exceedingly pretty girl in demure black, and the wily Mr. Garraway was content.

"Surely, surely, Mr. Garraway," gasped young Mrs. Bradshaw as she gazed at the portrait, "this is not the kind of person for a housekeeper."

"Oh, yes," said Mr. Garraway airily. "She'll do all right. Bradshaw would like her very much, I'm sure, after she had been in the house a week or two. I'm told she is a capital manager."

The bunch of scented narcissus at the lady's bodice was bobbing up and down as she continued to look at the photograph.

"You see, the great thing is to get some one who would make poor Bradshaw comfortable and not compel him to be always at the club."

She put the photograph down on the table.

"This lady," said young Mrs. Bradshaw definitely, "shall never come into my house."

"No," agreed Mr. Garraway sweetly. "Of course it would be in Ernest's house. I am sure that on my recommendation"—

"Do you mean to say, Mr. Garraway, that you would recommend a person like this for such a position?" Mrs. Bradshaw had risen from her chair and spoke indignantly.

"Now, Mrs. Bradshaw, pardon me. I can't allow you to speak ill of a client of mine. I have every reason to believe that she is a well bred young lady and comes from one of the best families. I have no doubt in my own mind that she will make my friend Bradshaw, whom I look upon as one of the best fellows in the world, very comfortable indeed."

There was a rap at the door, and the smart boy entered with a card.

"Show him in, Judd."

Mr. Garraway went toward the door to receive the newcomer, not before, however, he had seen a handkerchief go to the eyes of his young visitor.

"Bradshaw," he whispered at the door, "listen to me, man. Your wife's in there crying. Go and kiss her and make it up."

And bundling the worried young Bradshaw into the room in the most unprofessional manner Mr. Garraway went and spoke in the outer office with Gibson.

"I shan't be back for an hour, Gibson. Tell that lady and gentleman so if they ask for me. I'm going down to see counsel in the temple."

It was an hour and a half later that Mr. Garraway sauntered back. The small Judd followed him into his room and put some more coal on the fire.

"Mr. and Mrs. Bradshaw gone, Judd?" demanded Mr. Garraway.

Master Judd said, "Yessir."

"What the deuce are you grinning about, Judd?"

The excellent Judd said it was nothing special. Being pressed, however, Master Judd confessed that, entering the room about 20 minutes after his master had left, he saw the gent and the lady kissing each other "like 1 o'clock and as 'appy as"—

"Judd!" said Mr. Garraway severely, "I am surprised at you. I am surprised that a man, just now perhaps of tender years, but one who is possibly destined for the highest honors, should be guilty of the highest impropriety—and gross unprofessional impropriety, sir—of noticing a matter of this kind. I'm surprised at you, perfectly surprised at you. Would you like very much to go to the theater tonight, you young scoundrel?"

Master Judd, with some emphasis, said, "Rather!"

"Then here's half a crown for you. Now be off. I'm rather behind with my work today."—Exchange.

ALASKA.

Six sleeps in a sleeper from Montreal
And a moon or so from the end of the line,
And you stand at the foot of the great white wall—
That is, white with the snows that fall and fall
O'er the cedar dwarfed and the drooping pine
That grow at the feet of Alaska.

Old and wrinkled and cold and gray,
With her white pall pulled o'er her stony breast,
Frowning and frigid and far away,
She has ever stood, as she stands today,
In the desolate wastes of the wide northwest—
Stands this hoary old woman, Alaska.

Unmolested for thousands of years,
Isolated, remote and lone,
Her hard face glacial with frozen tears,
While over her shoulders and in her ears
The winds of the north land wail and moan
In the ears of old Mother Alaska.

A party of prospectors passed that way,
And they thought the old face had forgotten its frown,
And, pausing, they pulled her white robe away
And found her treasure. "Ah, c'est que c'est?"
Said the French Canadian, kneeling down
At the feet of old Mother Alaska.

They told their story, and men went wild
And pawned their chattels and joined the race.
The old croon jingled her gold and smiled,
And the gold mad men of the world beguiled
With a promise of fortune in that far place
At the feet of old Mother Alaska.

But, oh, the rivers are wide and deep,
And the north wind breathes with a killing breath,
And over the mountains, so rough and steep,
The old dread reaper shall come and reap—
The rime old reaper that men call death
Shall reap the white fields of Alaska!

—Cy Warman in New York Sun.

A DEBT OF HONOR.

It was at Charing Cross station, where I called to make some inquiries, and I knew her instantly, though she was veiled. She recognized me also and returned my greeting with a warmth which I hoped was not altogether due to the fact that I was able to extricate her from a human eddy in which she was entangled. I forgot all about the time table and turned back, delighted that the rush of the preoccupied crowd around us gave an excuse to keep her little silk gloved hand upon my arm. She had been seeing Cousin Phil and his wife off, she said, and was now, I guessed, returning to the desolate house in Bloomsbury square. The picture called up by the thought was so poignant that I proposed a visit to Westminster abbey. She appeared a shade surprised—I certainly was myself—and then agreed, with a little sigh, which plainly said, "As well there as anywhere else." But once she accepted my companionship by stepping into the hansom I called she made, I could see, a distinct effort to take interest in the multicolored life swirling by.

"The abbey is the first place one thinks of visiting when one is away," she observed, "and yet, when one is at home, it is so near that one keeps deferring the visit from day to day, and I am leaving town tomorrow. Papa meant"— She did not finish the sentence, but added, "It is so kind of you to give your time."

"I am a man of leisure," said I dryly.

"Papa was always in a hurry," she went on, and then stopped again. All roads of conversation led to her father, and death had written "No thoroughfare" across every one.

"Better wear out than rust out," said I considerately, "though the best of us but write their names on water after all. A very consoling reflection for the idlers."

"Yes, if everything ended here," she replied, as the cab pulled up and the great gray temple loomed above us.

If time be duration set out by measure, my watch was of opinion that we spent two hours here. My consciousness, however, has nothing definite to say on the matter, "the endurance of all enduring things" not being painfully prominent. Neither do I remember having shone among the tombs. On one thing at least I am quite clear. It is when we came out I was decidedly hungry; so, artfully piloting my charge past a restaurant, I suggested lunch.

Here again a lacuna occurs, for I have no distinct recollection of the earlier stages of the banquet save the other fact that her mode of eating and drinking forced me to make comparisons which would have brought me slowly to my senses had not the unforeseen, which has such a trick of happening, done so with paralyzing promptitude.

Her little hunting watch had run down, but the officious cuckoo belonging to the restaurant clock spoke so plainly that the young girl almost jumped from her chair.

"Oh, Mr. Patterson," she cried, "what shall I do? I was to call upon Mr. Turnbull—he is my guardian, you know—about papa's will at half past 2, and now it is a quarter past."

"Where does he live?" I asked.

"In the city," she replied despairingly, "and, oh, he is so precise, and there may be delays—you don't know him."

I did, having met him in his professional capacity some years before, when I was a witness for the defense.

"We'll drive there at once!" I cried royally, putting my hand in my pocket while she fumbled for her glove. Then an awful fact struck me; my purse was gone. I suppose my consternation got into my face, for I caught the eye of the polyglot waiter fixed upon me. He was tall, and, I doubt not, swift of foot, and as he smiled thinly I could see that he had lost one front tooth and all his illusions. I put my hat on and took it off again. At another time, in another place, the incident would have been merely laughable, but now, with her! I had been so blase, so mildly cynical! Oh, it was unthinkable! I moved toward the counter which was near the door, shadowed by the waiter, who was mentally calling the police, and approaching the lady in charge explained the situation. She was a German frau of spotless morals, and she listened calmly to my tale, the cold contempt of a narrow, literal nature glinting in her small eyes. The comedy of the situation did not strike her. She only saw that I had no money. "Dey pay, dose who eat here; dese are de rules," she reiterated, declining even to examine the ring I offered, "as a guarantee of good faith."

The waiter, who had been fielding in the immediate vicinity, advanced and asked me if I had lost anything. I inquired for the proprietor, but by some hideous ill luck he was not accessible. I saw Miss Langton, who had gone to the door, looking back, evidently surprised at the delay. Then the storm burst. The German was impenetrable; the waiter passed rapidly from legitimate doubt to open skepticism as I tendered my card, which was not a trump one, and seeing that we all talked together, the effect was very striking.

"Excuse me," remarked a thin, crisp voice, "it is a little trouble about the bill, is it not? Miss Langton, I shall be with you in a moment. Don't be alarmed."

Of course it was old Turnbull, who ought to have been miles away and had been lunching here all the time instead. I bowed, he looked me in the face, and I understood that he remembered the last occasion on which we had met. I recalled his terrible, "Now, upon your oath, sir," as I stood clutching the edge of the witness stand, a bit of court plaster over one eye.

"You are doubtless aware that Miss Langton is my ward?" he observed when he had appeased the Teuton sphinx.

"I learned it," I replied. "Permit me to congratulate you."

"And you will also learn now," he retorted, shutting his pocketbook with a snap, "that I wish the acquaintance to end here."

"On what grounds?" said I.

"If on no other than that of the present—er—disgraceful scene, I should be justified," he answered, "but I forbid it on—ahem—higher grounds."

Then he began to talk, "as one man of the world to another," about Arbuscula and her sisters. He was illogical, but convincing.

"What is the amount of the bill?" I asked shortly.

He handed me the receipted slip of paper. I put it in my pocket. He smiled sardonically, and gathering up his black bag went out to Miss Langton, while the waiter hailed a cab by whistling through his fingers in a most talented way.

Beyond the glass door I could see Turnbull talking to Miss Langton as she rearranged her veil. Some girls at an adjacent table put their heads together, whispering and tittering. The charict pulled up at the sidewalk with a flourish, and Turnbull touched Miss Langton's arm. She made a step forward, but looked round and paused irresolutely. I instantly went to her, and taking the little warm hand she gave me pressed it to my lips.

"I am so sorry you were inconvenienced," she said. "If I had only known"—and she actually laughed!

"I shall easily get over the recollection of the inconvenience in the recollection of the pleasure I have had," I replied.

She blushed.

"But why did you not tell me?" she murmured.

"It would have been commonplace," I replied. "I preferred to be a paladin, though a comic one."

"I don't think it comic at all," she replied, trying hard not to smile. "What stupid people!"

"Miss Langton, as this gentleman is rather richer in time than I, perhaps he will excuse us if we economize," remarked Mr. Turnbull. "Here is the cab. Get in, please."

She threw me a bright look and went with him. Recollecting that I was without my hat, I returned for it and found on the ground hard by a little black silk glove. I picked it up, intending to return it, but when I reached the street the cab was already several yards away. Then the lawyer's talk came back to me with diabolical distinctness, and I said to myself that, after all, he was right. I went straight to my bankers', sent him the amount of the bill, answered a perfumed, badly spelled note I had received that morning, locked the glove with the photo away in a drawer and took the next train for Paris.—William Buckley in Black and White.

Think of living a year or two after one is dead; dead to all practical intents and purposes,—dead, with the autograph of death inscribed on brow and cheek and lip.

Thousands of women live for a year or two after all helpfulness and happiness have gone out of their lives. When a woman becomes hopelessly helpless and unhappy she is practically dead. The young woman to whom the future is a dreary waste, the young wife who is a helpless, nervous invalid, the mother whose babes are a burden instead of a blessing,—all these, unless they take the right measures to recover their health, are better dead than living. In the majority of cases these ghosts of women owe their condition to weakness and disease of the distinctly feminine organism. Frequently they have been deceived by the incorrect diagnosis of some obscure physician and do not understand the true nature of their trouble. It only costs a two-cent postage stamp for a woman to write and describe her condition to Dr. R. V. Pierce, an eminent and skilful specialist, for thirty years chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute of Buffalo, N. Y. He will answer letters from ailing women without charge. He is the discoverer of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, the greatest of all known medicines for women. It acts directly on the delicate organs concerned in maternity and makes them strong, healthy and vigorous. It banishes the indispositions of the anxious period and makes baby's coming easy and almost painless. It cures all disorders and displacements and checks exhausting drains.

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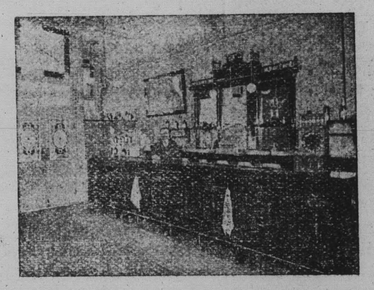

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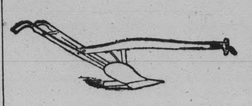

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One Hundred and Two vs. Sixty.

THE private water corporation hirelings, since the temporary defeat of the bond proposition on Monday of last week, have been busy agitating in the interests of their masters. The degenerate of the Sonoma Newsance, and the other lackeys of the artesian well-owners, say that the water advocates ought to quit the agitation and allow the City Trustees to grant the private water corporation that franchise. To all such we will say that the water advocates will do nothing of the kind. They are in this fight to stay, and will never submit to the dictation of those who are moving heaven and earth to get the City Trustees to hand the water consumers of Sonoma over to the tender mercies of a vampire corporation that would suck the very life blood out of them and at the same time give this town any old thing for a water service.

The City Trustees in refusing to grant the so-called private water corporation a valuable franchise have done so in the interest of Sonoma and her people. It were treachery to have done otherwise.

The contest between the people of Sonoma and two or three well-owners as to who is going to run things in this town will not be abandoned by the former. In other words it were unreasonable to assume that 102 voters, many of whom are numbered among our most substantial citizens, will submit to the dictation of sixty opponents, some of whom were deceived into voting against one of the best propositions ever advanced for the betterment of Sonoma. On the contrary, those of the minority who have been misled into voting against their own interests and to subserve the selfish purposes of the so-called private water corporation, ought to give way to the majority, to the end that this strife cease and Sonoma be enabled to go ahead with public improvements that have too long been kept back by selfishness and pure cussedness.

Proves Him a Fool.

A couple of weeks ago the Sonoma News insinuated that Miss Coulter was making a saloon fight, or, in other words, that she had given money to others to be spent for her in treating the boys. * * Miss Coulter promptly denied it; the saloon men denied it. Miss Coulter, when in Sonoma, publicly demanded that Mr. Chessmore give his authority for the charge, but Chessmore got an attack of lockjaw and was as dumb as an oyster. But, in the very next issue of his sheet he repeated the charge. Now, what shall the community do with such a thing—we cannot call him a man—who slanders a woman with the purpose of helping out her male opponent? The fact of his laboring under the impression that such dirty work will help his candidate, proves him a fool, and the fact of his stooping to do such dirty work stamps him as a person unfit to dwell among civilized people. He should be confined in the Home for Feeble Minded, locked up in a pest house or transported to the Fiji Islands.—*Sotoyome Sun.*

MR. C. F. LEIDING of Oakland, one of Sonoma's heaviest taxpayers and a stockholder of the electric light company, was in town several days this week. Mr. Leiding is a strong advocate for a municipal water system and in discussing the defeat of the proposition said: "Another election ought to be held as soon as possible. This talk of mortgages, high tax, printing and commissions is all humbug." He also remarked that it was a shame that 102 voters of this town should be balked by 60 when the matter of the town's welfare was at stake.

There is no politics in the Sheriff's office and Republicans as well as Democrats can vote for the man whom they think is best suited for the position. Frank P. Grace is possessed of all those qualifications that go to make up a model Sheriff—he is honest, capable and reliable.

Vote for Amendment Number Seven.

AMENDMENT Number Seven is an amendment to Section Two, Article Four of the Constitution. The important feature of this amendment is that during the session of the Legislature a recess of from thirty to sixty days is taken. When the Legislature is first convened twenty-five days are devoted to the introduction of bills. Then comes the recess of from thirty to sixty days, during which the Legislators can discuss with the citizens concerning the bills introduced and find out what the will of the people is; then at the expiration of the recess the Legislature is reconvened and the bills are discussed and voted upon. This amendment should be adopted for the following reasons:

First—It will prevent hasty legislation.

Second—It will enable the people to acquaint themselves with the bills and also give them a chance to express themselves to their Assemblymen and Senators.

Third—It will make the passage of bad bills more difficult.

Fourth—It will make the passage of good bills more probable.

Fifth—It practically makes the voters of the State a third house and thus secures to us more surely "A government of the people, for the people and by the people."

Vote for Amendment Number Seven.

The Sonoma Newsance.

The Sonoma News, a newspaper of general circulation published in Sonoma City in this county, in one of its recent issues intimated that Miss Minnie Coulter, the Democratic candidate for Superintendent of Schools, was making a barroom fight to secure her election. The charge was cowardly, scurrilous and untruthful, and shows but little decency in the newspaper which published it. Politics are politics, but when a paper attempts to besmirch the character of a lady of the standing of Miss Coulter or any other lady, in fact, we claim that things have gone a little bit too far.—*Healdsburg Enterprise.*

GEO. BREITENBACH adorned the show window of his harness shop this week with a very fine picture of himself, or some other anti-water fiend. He has got 'em bad.

Hand Book of the Tariff.

The understanding of the complicated provisions of the new tariff has been greatly simplified by the issuance of this manuel, which contains decisions of the Federal Courts, General Appraisers and the Secretary of the Treasury on mooted points. To digest the tariff law is no easy task, but to digest the food taken into the gastric receptacles is rendered facile and agreeable by the systematic use of that thorough stomachic, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. This is a family medicine of comprehensive uses. It prevents and kills malaria, kidney and rheumatic troubles, remedies nervousness and insomnia, and removes constipation and biliousness. Appetite, as well as the ability to satisfy it without subsequent abdominal disturbance, is restored by this fine stomachic, which also accelerates convalescence. Persons in the decline of life and the infirm of every age and sex find it of material assistance.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Rain is badly nesded in this valley.

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POLITICAL POINTERS.

Vote for Somers B. Fulton.

A vote for Somers B. Fulton means the endorsement of an honest, painstaking and competent official.

Assemblyman Walter F. Price came down from Santa Rosa and attended the Barham meeting on Tuesday evening last.

Republicans, remember that a United States Senator is to be elected by the Legislature which convenes in Sacramento in January.

H. O. Purinton of Sutter county, Republican nominee for member of the State Board of Equalization from the Third District, was in town last Tuesday morning.

Reports from Petaluma say that Frank P. Grace, nominee for Sheriff, is developing an amazing following in that town. As a visitor to that town puts it "Every body is for him."

Edwin F. Woodward, Republican nominee for County Treasurer, deserves the support of voters regardless of party ties. He has held the office one term and has made a record which clearly entitles him to another term.

Every poster announcing the Democratic meeting in this town was torn down on Thursday night last. The act was a most contemptible one and was evidently the work of some one who had cause to detest Democratic meetings.

The Democrats will hold forth at Union Hall this evening, the occasion being their last meeting of the campaign in Sonoma. G. W. Hoyle of Cloverdale, J. C. Sims, nominee for State Senator, and W. F. Cowan, candidate for Assemblyman, will address the meeting, which will conclude with a dance.

Malaria Cured

All Medicines Failed Except Hood's Sarsaparilla

Improved with the First Dose—Now Entirely Well.

Malaria is caused by bad air, bad water, bad drainage, which make bad blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures malaria by purifying the blood. Read this interesting statement:

"I was confined to my bed with malaria, I could not take strong medicines, owing to my condition, and everything I took failed to help me. At last I decided to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. After taking it a short time the malaria was entirely gone and I have never had it since. I began to improve with the very first dose of Hood's Sarsaparilla. I am now strong and well." MRS. A. M. WOOSLEY, Delano, California. Remember

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier. Sold by all druggists. Price, $1; six for $5.

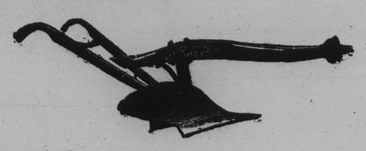
Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner pills, aid digestion. 25c.

To the Voters of Sonoma.

A statement has been going the rounds of Sonoma and vicinity, in order to injure my candidacy, that I have robbed the City of Santa Rosa of $1610. The statement is as vile as it is false. If there is any responsible man in the community who will assert publicly that I have so robbed or owe that city $1610 or any other sum of money, I will agree to donate $100 to any charitable institution in Sonoma which its Mayor may designate.

M. V. VANDERHOOF,
Republican Nominee for County Assessor.

Oliver Chilled and Steel Plows : :



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Chilled and Steel Plows

—AND—

GANG PLOWS, DISC HARROWS, CULTIVATORS, HARROWS.

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Extras for all Make of Plows in the Market at San Francisco Prices.

JULIUS FOCHETTI,
Agent for Sonoma Valley.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

☞ Under this head candidates for the various offices will be announced. Fee $5, strictly in advance.

FOR STATE SENATOR,

JAMES C. SIMS,

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE for State Senator from the Tenth District. Election, Nov. 8, 1898.

FOR CONSTABLE SONOMA TOWNSHIP.

GEORGE W. BEATTY,

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE for Constable of Sonoma Township. Election, November 8, 1898.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

EDWARD F. WOODWARD,
(Present Incumbent.)

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE for

County Treasurer.

Election, November 8, 1898.

A Card from Miss Coulter.

EDITOR SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE,

My attention has been called to the scurrilous, ungentlemanly and untruthful attack made upon me by the editor of the *News*, and I therefore ask you in the interest of fair play and decency to make public the following statement.

I have not "treated" the "boys" or anyone else since the campaign began except to water melons. I have never spent a cent in a saloon, or in a hotel bar-room, or in any place where liquors are sold in my life. I have paid my own campaign bills, and have not given any one a cent to spend in my behalf for any purpose whatsoever. If any one knows facts to the contrary I challenge him to produce them. If the editor of the *News* possessed even the elementary instincts of a gentleman he would not attempt to blast the reputation of a lady.

MINNIE COULTER.
Democratic Nominee for Superintendent of Schools.

Ask your Druggist for a generous 10 CENT TRIAL SIZE.

Ely's Cream Balm contains no cocaine, mercury nor any other injurious drug. It is quickly Absorbed. Gives Relief at once. It opens and cleanses the Nasal Passages. Allays Inflammation. Heals and Protects the Membrane. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. Full Size 50c.; Trial Size 10c.; at Druggists or by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York.

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Central Market.

SOUTH SIDE OF PLAZA, SONOMA

HENRY HARTIN,
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MAKES A SPECIALTY OF FINE

Beef, Mutton, Pork and Sausage.

Eastern Hams, Bacon Lard, Fresh Ranch Butter and Eggs.

Fresh Fish Every Thursday and Friday.

Vegetables Fresh from the Garden and Tropical and Semi-Tropical Fruits.

☞ Orders delivered to all parts of the valley free of charge.

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CITY BARBER SHOP,

No. 6, Napa St, Sonoma

(Second door from Postoffice)

Price Rates:

Shaving - - - -	15cts.	Hair Cutting - -	25ct
Shampooing - -	25 "	Sea Foam - - -	10 "
Mustaches Dyed -	25 "	Hair Singeing - -	25 "
Shaving, Sundays -	25 "	Shaving, Holidays -	25c

ALL WORK DONE BY ME IS GUARANTEED.

CHAS DALPOGETTO, Prop.

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FOR STATE SENATOR

ROBERT A. POPPE,

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE for State Senator from the Tenth District. Election November 8, 1898.

FOR AUDITOR and RECORDER

W A MILLS

REGULAR REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE for Auditor and Recorder of Sonoma county. Election November 8, 1898.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

M. D. GOSHEN,

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE for County Treasurer of Sonoma County. Election. November 8, 1898.

FOR SHERIFF

FRANK P. GRACE,

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE for Sheriff of Sonoma county. Election November 8, 1898.

FOR COUNTY CLERK

AUGUST F. DOMINE

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE for County Clerk of Sonoma county. Election November 8, 1898.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

T. J. BUTTS

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE for District Attorney of Sonoma county. Election November 8, 1898.

FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR

FRANK E. DOWD

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE for Assessor of Sonoma county, Election November 8, 1899,

FOR ASSEMBLYMAN SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT.

W. F. COWAN,

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE for Assemblyman Seventeenth Assembly District. Election November 8, 1898.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR.

NEWTON V. V. SMYTH,

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE for County Surveyor of Sonoma county. Election, November 8, 1898.

FOR SUPT. OF SCHOOLS.

J. E. METZGER,
(OF GEYSERVILLE)

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE for Superintendent of Schools of Sonoma county. Election, Nov. 8, 1898.

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

MINNIE COULTER,

DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE FOR Superintendent of Schools of Sonoma county. Election, November 8, 1898.

FOR ASSEMBLYMAN SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT.

SHERIDAN PETERSON,

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE for Assemblyman Seventeenth Assembly District. Election November 8, 1898.

FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR.

M. V. VANDERHOOF,

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE for Assessor of Sonoma county, Election, November 8th, 1898.

FOR CONSTABLE SONOMA TOWNSHIP.

CHAS. H. OHM

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE for Constable Sonoma Township. Election, November 8, 1898.

TO THE VOTERS OF SONOMA TOWNSHIP.

I hereby agree, if elected Justice of the Peace of Sonoma Township, to try all cases from the northern part of the Township in Glen Ellen or Kenwood, to suit the convenience of the parties interested.

J. M. CHENEY,
Regular Republican Nominee.

To the Voters of Sonoma Township.

I HEREBY PLEDGE MYSELF IF elected, that I will try all cases in the Justices' Court that come before me from the southern part of the Township in the city of Sonoma.

JAS. W. GIBSON,
Regular Democratic Nominee for Justice of the Peace.
Glen Ellen, Sept. 8, 1898.

FOR COUNTY CLERK,

SOMERS B. FULTON,

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE for County Clerk of Sonoma county. Election, November 8, 1898.

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Port Costa Flour $1.10 per Sack.

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Money Back if not Satisfactory.

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NEW GOODS

JUST RECEIVED---A Full Line of
FALL and WINTER DRESS GOODS
FLANNELS, LADIES and CHILDREN'S WOOL and MERINO UNDERWEAR, etc., at G. H. Hotz's dry goods store.
New Goods Arriving Every Week
G. H. HOTZ.

Straight, Honest Goods

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LOWEST LIVING PRICES AT

:-: CLEWE'S. :-:

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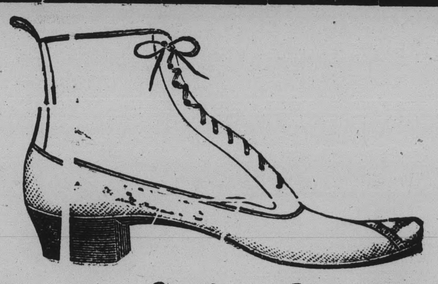

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Shoes for Everybody, Finest and Largest Stock of Shoes that ever came to Sonoma.

Ladies, Mens,
Misses and Boys and
Childrens, Youths,
FINE SHOES.

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S. SCHOCKEN,

NORTH SIDE OF PLAZA, SONOMA.

H. W. BROWN,

DEALER IN

All Kinds of New & Second-Hand Goods,

New Furniture a Specialty,

Northeast cor. Washington and Main sts., PETALUMA, CAL.

CHAS. H. WILSON,

MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN

Harness, Saddles, Bridles, Collars

WHIPS, BLANKETS, ETC.

Carriage Trimming & Repairing Neatly and Promptly Done. Satisfaction Guaranteed
Only Skilled Workmen Employed.
920 Main St. opposite Lower Plaza. PETALUMA, CAL.

H. H. GRANICE,

REAL ESTATE AGENT,

SONOMA, CAL.

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SONOMA, NOVEMBER 5, 1898.

CITY OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

ACCIDENT.

A Fifteen-Year-Old Lad Breaks His Leg.

Martin, aged fifteen years, the adopted son of Rev. Mr. Howell, while returning to Sonoma from Petaluma on Wednesday afternoon last, met with a serious accident. He was driving two horses attached to a spring wagon and when about a mile west of El Laurel his foot, which was dangling on the outside of the vehicle, became entangled in the spokes of the wheel. He was pulled out of his seat, thrown over the dash board and dragged quite a distance. Finally his leg broke between the ankle and knee, releasing him from the spokes. As he lay in the road the horses trotted leisurely along with the wagon as though still controlled by a driver. The little fellow picked himself up and discovered that his right leg hung limp and useless. He then hobbled on one foot to a fence alongside the road, broke off a picket, and using it as a crutch, followed after the horses, which he at last succeeded in overtaking. He attempted to stop them by shouting "whoa,!" but the horses, having a free rein, refused to respond. The lad then grabbed the tail-board of the wagon and attempted to get into the vehicle, but being handicapped by the broken limb, after a number of unsuccessful attempts, the poor little fellow fell back into the road exhausted. The horses finally reached El Laurel and were stopped by Geo. Rodehaver, who, surmising that an accident had happened, jumped into a cart and started in the direction from which the team came. After traveling about a mile he discovered the plucky youngster and picking him up took him to his home. Mr. Rodehaver then brought the boy into town and secured the services of Dr. Davis, who set the broken limb.

Brevities.

Duhring has made a big cut on flour. He is now selling Port Costa at $1.10 and Oregon at $1.00 per sack.

Vollmar's Hotel at Embarcadero is offered for sale at a bargain. For further particulars apyly to H. H. Granice, Sonoma.

Hale Bros & Co. announce a number of new bargains in ladies' dress goods, gentlemens and youths' clothing, etc. Read the price list.

Winemaking is about over in this valley. The yield falls far below that of last year, but the quality is all that could be desired.

The Methodist Church is being wired this week by the Sonoma Electric Light Company and will be lighted next Sunday evening for the first time with electricity.

Ducks, owing to the rain holding off, are quite scarce in the tules south of town. Good shooting is not looked for until the advent of a heavy storm, when the birds will flock to the sheltering marsh lands by the thousands.

The property known as McMackin's feed mill is now offered for sale for $1,000. The lot is 50x114 and the building alone is worth the money. For further particulars apply to the agent, H. H. Granice.

Julius Fochetti, the Sonoma Valley agent for the Oliver and John Deere chilled and steel plows, is out this week with a brand new adv. Mr. Fochetti also keeps on hand extras for these and all other kinds of plows, which he will supply to farmers at San Francisco prices.

O. M. Campbell, the jeweler, corner of Washington and Main streets, Petaluma, invites you to call on him when in town. In his new store he displays sparkling diamonds, fine jewelry, watches, silverware, clocks, optical goods, musical instruments and bicycles. Remember the place, corner of Main and Washington streets, Petaluma. *

THE CITY TRUSTEES.

MORE ELECTRIC LIGHTS FOR THE STREETS.

A Protest Filed—Bills Passed—Other Matters.

There was a regular meeting of the City Trustees last Wednesday evening, Trustees Davis, Harris, Hartin and Seipp were present. President Duhring was absent owing to pressing business in San Francisco.

Trustee Seipp was called to the chair, rapped the meeting to order and ordered the minutes of the previous meeting read. After the reading and approval of the minutes the following bills were allowed and ordered paid :

B. L. Cook, street sprinkling	$ 63.70
J. E. Robin, salary	17.60
P. G. Keil, labor	3.40
D. Valente, labor	9.75
J. H. Albertson, labor	19.15
L. Green, Election Board	24.00
J. H. Albertson, labor	2.00
H. H. Granice, election printing	50.65
H. H. Granice, printing	16.30
A. Baccala, labor	14.00
J. H. Seipp, expenses	4.75
J. E. Robin, salary	10.00
W. O. Hocker, expenses, etc	10.00
Total	$260.80

The following bills were laid over for lack of funds : L. Green, lumber ; Robert A. Poppe, salary ; J. Revis, labor ; Firemens' rebate.

Deputy Clerk Hooker read a protest from L. W. Justi against the payment of $6 for a burial permit for the reason that the Justi family own a lot in Mountain Cemetery and Mrs. Justi owns property in Sonoma. After some discussion the protest was filed but no definite action was taken.

The Electric Light Committee reported that the city now had eleven electric lights for street lighting purposes, and on motion of Trustee Hartin seconded by Trustee Davis, nine more street lights were ordered—three to be placed on Napa street west of Broadway, the last one to be near the Catholic church ; three to be placed on Napa street east of Broadway, the last one to be near the bridge opposite V. Bulott's residence ; three on Broadway, the last to be placed opposite the residence of Mrs. S. T. Enos.

Marshal Robin reported having notified Henry Weyl to abate the detestable nuisance maintained on his premises.

The Board then canvassed the returns of the special election held on October 24th, and declared the water proposition lost by a vote 102 for and 60 against.

Marshal Robin complained that a fire hydrant near his premises was leaking badly and asked the Board to repair the defective hydrant. The matter was referred to the Street Committee. The Board then adjourned.

Death of Fred. Justi.

Frederick A. Justi, brother of Mrs. Jas. W. Gibson, who died last week in Glen Ellen, is dead. Mr. Justi was stricken with typhoid fever in Santa Rosa and after a short illness it was thought he was in a fair way to recovery. A relapse set in, however, on Saturday and he breathed his last the following day. The funeral took place last Thursday from the Congregational Church, Glen Ellen, the remains being interred in the family burial plot in Mountain Cemetery in this place.

Mr. Justi was a Native Son, and had lived all his life in this valley. He was aged 31 years and three months. Besides his mother, Mrs. Capt. Justi, he leaves two brothers, Charles and Leopold Justi, and a sister, Mrs. I. M. Merlin-jones.

Leg Amputated.

Gabriel Streiff, who recently had his left leg crushed by a falling tree, had the limb amputated just below the hip joint on Monday last. The operation was performed by the surgeons of the German Hospital, San Francisco, whither the injured man went the day after the accident.

Pure Tea

in packages

at grocers'

Schilling's Best

THAT CLOTHING WINDOW.

That clothing window at the Racket Store, Petaluma, is creating much comment. It contains eighteen men's suits of different patterns. All well made and up to date, and in all sizes from 34 to 42. The Racket offers these suits at $5 each. They also have 115 overcoats at a bargain. *

BARHAM MEETING.

Republicans Turn Out in Force and Give Our Congressman a Cordial Reception.

Union Hall was filled to overflowing last Tueeday evening to do honor to Congressman Barham. The hall and stage had been handsomely decorated by the Republican young ladies and presented a patriotic appearance.

The meeting was presided over by B. F. Campbell, who introduced the speaker of the evening, Hon. J. A. Barham, Republican nominee for Congress. Mr. Barham's address, which occupied fully an hour and a half in delivery, was both forcible and convincing. His reference to President McKinley's administration was received with loud applause. Mr. Barham's voice was not at its best, as it had been overtaxed by nearly fifty nightly addresses delivered throughout his district during the campaign.

At the conclusion of his address there was singing by the Barham Glee Club of Santa Rosa, after which the meeting was dismissed by Chairman Campbell.

SCHELLVILLE SIFTINGS

Miss Martha Foulter is visiting relatives here.

Mr. Archibald Cook spent a few days in town last week.

Wm. Goodman made a flying trip to the city on Thursday.

Mrs. Wm. Merriam was among the visitors to the city this week.

Mrs. Wilson, the guest of Mrs. Cook, has returned from a visit to the city.

Mr. Fred. Norman of San Francisco was a guest at Eden Dale on Sunday last.

Hon. J. C. Sims, Democratic candidate for State Senator, was in town Tuesday.

Dick and Tony Volquartson have leased the Jas. McMackin ranch for the term of five years.

Mrs. G. Schell took the south bound train for the metropolis Wednesday morning to make a short stay.

Miss Francis Brogan, after a delightful stop of two weeks with the Misses Stevens of this place, has returned to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Shainwald of San Francisco spent Sunday at Locust Grove School visiting their nephews.

Mrs. Flora Spencer, after an extended visit at Embarcadero with her mother, has returned to her home in Los Angeles.

O. R. Frisbie, who is putting the grain crop in at the Schell ranch this year, is rushing things and already has nearly 500 acres sown.

Jake Alleman, who has been conducting a large dairy business on the Ringstrom ranch for the past three years, has moved to the Switzer place.

Mrs. M. Harper, after a five months' sojourn in Sonora, Tuolumne county, where she has been visiting her sister, has returned to Schellville.

Mr. M. Akers, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Arch. Cook, left Thursday morning for San Francisco to attend the marriage of Miss Florence Stetson to Mr. Isaac N. Rosencrans.

A most delightful Halloween party was given by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ohm to their numerous friends Monday evening. A real jolly time was had. Games appropriate for the occasion were played, and many enjoyable instrumental and vocal solos, as well as choruses, were rendered.

VOLUNTEER.

Schellville, November 4, 1898.

An Important Difference.

To make it appear to thousands, who think themselves ill, that they are not afflicted with any disease, but that the system simply needs cleansing, is to bring comfort home to their hearts, as a costive condition is easily cured by using Syrup of Figs. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and sold by all druggists.

The busiest place in Petaluma is the RACKET STORE. There you can get anything usually found in a first-class dry goods store. The best dress goods at 25c per yard. The nicest dress goods at 50c per yard. Of trimmings the best ; of trimmings the latest. All kinds of shirtings at 10c per yard. Tennis flannels in any color or quality, The best flaneletts at 8½c per yard. The best values in cotton flannels ; also blankets, quilts, comforters, etc. Don't miss the place.

RACKET STORE. *

Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

THE LADIES' FAIR.

CLOSES AFTER A SUCCESSFUL SIX DAYS' RUN.

Over $1,000 Netted Toward Liquidating the Debt on St. Francis' Church.

The Catholic ladies of Sonoma did themselves proud on the occasion of the Ladies' Fair, which opened in Union Hall on Wednesday night of last week and closed last Tuesday evening.

Considering the dull times the Fair was a financial success. Over $1000 was netted toward paying off the debt on St. Francis' church, which was incurred a few years ago in building the new edifice which was erected on the site of the one destroyed by fire in 1896.

Union Hall was crowded nightly during the continuance of the Fair, which, with its gaily-decorated booths, brilliant electric lights, handsome young ladies and the vociferous shouting of the numerous auctioneers, presented a scene of life and animation not soon to be forgotten by participants and visitors.

The following were the winning numbers in the raffle, which took place the closing night :

Cow—No. 11.
Writing desk—No. 52.
Bicycle—No. 233, won by Miss L. Johnson, Buena Vista.
Two cords of Wood—No. 56, won by Henry Flowers.
Gentleman's gold watce—No. 473.
Pearl brooch—No. 137.
Toilet set—No. 105, won by John Valente,
The rocking chairs were won by Mrs. John Watt and Mrs. Caminata.

Other prizes were won as follows :

Gold ring—Theodore Kiser.
Cut-glass berry dish — Henry Bates.
Five gallons white wine—James Fernandez.
Sofa cushion—Mrs. M. Bates.
Silver watch—A. Fennz.
Silver lemonade set—P. Caminata.
Five-pound box of tea—Mary Wegner.
Cake—John Harper.
Five gallons of wine—Josephine Kiser.
Clock—Mr. Baldridge.
Parlor lamp—P. McAuliffe.
Parlor lamp—Clara Weyl.
Painting—Frida Wegner.
Sofa cushion—Mrs. T. Erskine.
Silver stamp receiver—J. P. Weems.

Piano Recital.

The pupils of Mrs. Walliser's music class gave a piano recital last Saturday afternoon. The following programme was excellently rendered :

Wavelets.....Altman
Miss Mabel Winkle.
Wiegen Lied.....Taubert
The Joyous Farmer.....Schumann
Miss Lucinda McElroy.
A Short Story.....Lichner
Miss Janet Harris.
Valse Badinage.....Smyth
Masters G. Glenn and A. Walliser.
Pastorale.....Gregh
Master Gleave Glenn.
La Zingara.....Bohn
Master Alfred Walliser.
Venitienne.....Burgmein
Miss Wadsworth.
Melodie in F.....Mozkowski
Miss B. Aguillon.
Le Trot du Cavalier.....Spindler
Miss Hope Glenn.
Grand Duo—two pianos.....Goria
Mesdames Dewey and Walliser.
Slavonian Dance—two pianos.....Dvorak
Mesdames Dewey and Walliser.

Always kill a wounded bird or animal as soon as you can. All suffering of any creature just before it dies poisons the meat.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

And Other Matters of Interest to the General Reader.

Items of a personal and social nature are thankfully received at this office.

Mrs. R. J. Keogh is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Granice.

C. Munday of Petaluma was in town last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Ada Riley and her sister are visiting their friend Mrs. Chas. Ohm.

L. Modini and his daughter Mary visited San Francisco last Sunday.

Miss Emma Redmond left Sonoma Thursday for her home in the metropolis.

Miss O'Connor of Petaluma attended the Ladies' Fair in this place last week.

Miss M. Bell of San Francisco is the guest of her cousin, Miss Majorie Linehan.

Mrs. Susie T. Enos left last week for the city, where she will spend the winter.

Mrs. Haraszthy and daughters have returned from their visit to Vallejo relatives.

C. F. Leiding has been up from Oakland the past week looking after his property interests.

Mrs. Linehan went to the city last Sunday, where she is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Bell.

Dave Gaffney came up from the city last Sunday and visited his old-time Sonoma friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Hooper of Davenport, Iowa, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Harris Sunday.

W. Soldate of Brown's Valley and A. Somner of Napa were visitors to this place last Sunday.

The Misses Montgomery of San Francisco were entertained at the Emparan residence last Sunday.

Mrs. J. J. Law still lies very ill at her home in the southwestern suburbs of town and her life is despaired of.

Albert Faure, Mrs. Clara Clark and Mrs. Victor Turrell of San Francisco visited City Marshal Robin last Sunday.

Dr. A. McLaughlin of the metropolis spent last Sunday in Sonoma Valley enjoying an outing with gun and dog.

Capt. Jas. Landy of the dredger L. E. Cross, which is working near Stockton, spent last Saturday and Sunday with his mother.

Geo. Bulotti, proprietor of a well-known plumbing establishment in San Francisco, spent last Sunday with his parents in this place.

Mrs. G. W. Hooper and three children came up from San Francisco last Sunday and spent the day with their Sonoma relatives.

The Chinese prefer shrimps to almost all other fishy diet. They are served swimming about in water flavored with oil and vinegar.

Mrs. J. P. Weems entertained a number of jolly young people on Friday evening of last week on her ark, which is moored near the drawbridge.

Mrs. M. A. Johnson and her daughters, Stella and Zelma, have gone to San Francisco to reside on Van Ness avenue with their relatives Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Garrison.

Miss Gussie Wright visited her mother in Glen Ellen last Sunday. Miss Wright, who was a student of the Sonoma High School two years ago, is now attending the State Normal School at San Jose.

Wm. Ayers, residing with his family on his mountain farm north of town, will return shortly from San Francisco greatly improved in health. He was recently stricken with paralysis and taken to San Francisco for treatment.

COUNTY HAPPENINGS.

Mrs. Catherine Grace, mother of Frank P. Grace, died at her home in Santa Rosa last Tuesday, aged 68 years.

The annual meeting of the Sonoma Association of Congregational Churches commenced on Tuesday in the Congregational Church at Kenwood.

Elton, the little one-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis of Santa Rosa was choked to death on Saturday last by swallowing a small stone or button.

Geo. E. Peery was examined on the charge of insanity by Lunacy Commissioners M. M. Shearer and R. Press Smith on Wednesday, and was ordered sent to the State Hospital at Ukiah.

Welcome Judson Steadman, ex-City Marshal of Santa Rosa, died at his home in that city Wednesday evening at ten minutes to 9 o'clock. While Mr. Steadman's death was not unexpected, it will be a surprise to those of his friends who did not know he had been so seriously ill for many days.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Cases Disposed of Last Monday by Judges Dougherty and Burnett.

In Judge Dougherty's department of the Superior Court on Monday the following matters were on the calendar :

The final account was settled and distribution was ordered of the estate of Laura J. Dinwiddie.

In the estate of Albion P. Whitney the final account was settled and distribution ordered. Counsel fees amounting to $800 were allowed.

The final account was settled and distribution ordered in the estate of John Ulrich. A fee of $50 was allowed counsel for absent heirs.

These probate matters were continued : Estate of John Schrader and Anna D. Burnett, to November 7th.

In Judge Burnett's department the calendar was as follows :

The demurrer in the action brought by J. Lucas against E. Reynolds was overruled and defendant was given five days to answer, and the default of Patton Bros. was entered.

The suit of Bernett & Schutte against G. W. Clark will be submitted on briefs.

These actions were continued: Knipp & Stengel vs. James Peterson, W. H. Weilby vs. F. T. Duhring, W. Barry vs. T. Barry, W. Barry vs. Julia Barry, Leonora Silva vs. John Silva, all to November 7th.

The matter of distribution in the estate of M. Marti was submitted.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars reward for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address,

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Men's heavy twilled Red Flannel Underwear, $1.00 each.
Men's heavy navy blue Twilled Flannel Overshirts, $1.00 each.
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Ladies' brown or black Cashmere Gloves, 25c per pair.
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ROSARY BEADS.

They Were In Use Among the Hindoos Before the Era of Buddha.

The prevailing idea in regard to a rosary is that it belongs solely to followers of the Catholic religion. But take away the cross that is hanging to the beads and we find that one must turn to the dim, mysterious east for the origin of the rosary, for it is among the temples of India, China and Japan that the first sign of the practice is to be found. Ancient pictures of the Hindoo gods depict them with chaplets of beads in their hands, and it is believed that this method of keeping count of their many prayers was in use among the Hindoos before the era of Buddha, or at least B. C. 500.

The use of the rosary seems especially suited to an eastern clime and to the repose of an oriental mind. The Buddhists are fond of using very smooth beads of glass, polished jade or coral, and it has been thought that the smooth, cool beads gliding through their fingers as they murmur the holy name for thousands of times help them to arrive at that state of holy abstraction from earthly things which is so much prized among the followers of Buddha.

The favorite Japanese rosaries are made of polished wood, crystal, onyx and chased silver, and the Japanese Buddhists repeat in endless devotion "Namu Amida Butzu" ("Save us, Buddha"), while their Chinese brothers have the blessed name "O-Mi-to-fu" forever on their lips. A rosary of very great size was recently brought from a temple in Kioto, Japan. The largest bead is about six inches in diameter, and the rosary entire is about 24 feet long. The huge beads are of dark brown polished wood. They are hollow and have each a figure of a god inside the little shrine, which can be seen through a lattice of brass work.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

FALSIFIED HER AGE.

A Court Trial That Disclosed a Queer Phase of Russian Society.

Even in Russia, it seems, despotism does not go the length of forcing a woman to tell her age or of punishing her for stating it inaccurately. A certain Princess Eugalytcheff was recently tried at Moscow and sentenced to lifelong internment in the province of Olonetz for embezzling 140,000 rubles. After the proceeding in court had come to an end and after the noble lady had retired to the country for her somewhat prolonged rest from urban gayeties and temptations a too careful official discovered that among the papers in the case was the princess' certificate of baptism, and that she had changed the date of it from 1847 to 1867. Instantly this grave crime was brought to the notice of the authorities, and the convicted embezzler was summoned to meet the charge of falsifying an official document. Then a curious fact was disclosed, and a surprising amount of light was thrown on Russian society.

The Prince Eugalytcheff, who was cited as a witness by the prosecutor, said that whether his bride was 20 years older or younger than her certified age was a matter of absolute indifference to him. All he could say was that he received the sum of 3,000 rubles for giving the lady his name, that immediately after the marriage ceremony he procured for her a separate passport, and that since then he has known nothing more of his wife or her private affairs. The jury gallantly declined to convict the accused princess on the "trivial charge about a woman's age," and she was sent back to her provincial exile.

Princes evidently come cheap in Russia, and this is perhaps the most interesting bit of news in the whole story. —New York Times.

Fond Delusion.

Optician—Yes; you see double. I can correct the fault with spectacles.

Patient—Hurry! Maybe it isn't twins, after all!—Jewelers' Weekly.

The largest gold coin in the world is the British 5 sovereign piece; the smallest is coined in Persia and has a value of only 44 cents.

Gold Mining In San Francisco.

For over 17 years a gold mine has been worked right in the city of San Francisco. How much gold has been taken out none but the two miners themselves can say. One of them is supposed to be on his deathbed, and the other one disappeared on the day that his partner had to be taken to the hospital and the secret of their mine became generally known to the community.

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That he succeeded in doing this in his Ingleside mine there is no question, for not only did he make a good living during the 17 years, but he paid $8,000 damages once for injuring the Spring valley water main while blasting. He and his partner lost large sums of money at the race tracks, and they were known as "spenders" among the resorts in the western side of the city. All the while they passed as hermits, with barely enough to live on.—San Francisco Call.

A Feminine Mania.

"They tell me that Blakely is not rich, and yet there is not a day but what the wagon from the jewelers and the merchants stops there."

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Method In His Madness.

"Why did Briggs try to cover his entire lot with his new house?"

"So he wouldn't have any grass to cut."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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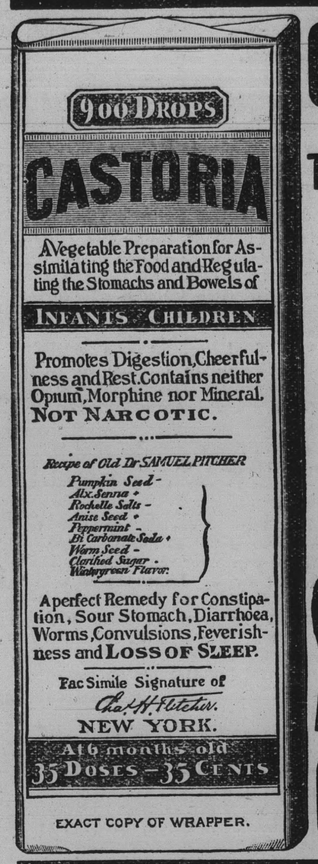
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WEEK DAYS	SUN DAYS	TO AND FROM.	SUN. DAYS	WEEK DAYS
8.10 AM	8.10 AM	San Francisco San Rafael and intermediates	10.25 AM	10.30 AM
2.45 PM	3.37 PM		7.15 P M	7.20 PM
10.30 AM	10.25 AM	Glen Ellen and intermediates	8.10 AM	6.18 AM
7.20 PM	7.15 PM		3.37 PM	2.45 PM
6.18 AM	8.10 AM	Novato Petaluma Santa Rosa and intermediates	10.25 AM	10.30 AM
2.45 PM	3.37 PM		7.15 PM	7.20 PM
6.18 AM 2.45 PM	8.10 AM	Cloverdale Healdsburg Lytton and intermediates	7.15 PM	10.30 AM 7.20 PM
6.18 AM	8.10 AM	Ukiah and intermediates	7.15 PM	7.20 PM
6.18 AM	8.10 AM	Sebastopol and intermediates	10.25 AM	10.30 AM
2.45 PM	3.37 PM		7.15 PM	7.20 PM
6.18 AM	8.10 AM	Guerneville and intermediates	7.15 PM	10.30 AM
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D WALLS
Of Petaluma.

FOR SUPERVISOR, FOURTH SUPERVISOR DISTRICT
JOHN B COOLEY
Of Cloverdale.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

I. That all taxes in the City of Sonoma for the year 1898-9 on all personal property secured by real property and one-half of the taxes on real property will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October, 1898,

And will be delinquent on the

Third Monday in November

Next thereafter at 6 o'clock P. M., and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent. will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the

First Monday in February

Next at 6 o'clock P. M., an additional five per cent. will be added thereto.

II. That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January

Next, and will be delinquent on the

First Monday in February

Thereafter at 6 o'clock P. M., and that unless paid prior thereto five per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that liens will attach after the

First Monday in March, 1899

At 6 o'clock P. M.

III. That all taxes may be paid at the time when the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

IV. Taxes may be paid at the City Hall on any day, Sundays excepted, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M., and 4 P. M.

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Sonoma, Sept. 24, 1898.

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PROCLAMATION.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.
SACRAMENTO, July 30, 1898.

WHEREAS, The Legislature of the State of California, at its thirty-second session beginning on the Fourth day of January, A. D., 1897, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, proposed the following described amendments to the Constitution of the the State of California, to-wit:

Amendment Number One.

(Being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 41.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section eighteen of article eleven of the Constitution, in relation to revenue and taxation, by which it is proposed to amend said section to read as follows:

Section 18. No county, city, town, township, board of education, or school district shall incur any indebtedness or liability in any manner or for any purpose exceeding in any year the income and revenue provided for it for such year, without the assent of two-thirds of the qualified electors thereof, voting at an election to be held for that purpose, nor unless before, or at the time of incurring such indebtedness, provision shall be made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on such indebtedness as it falls due and also provision to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof on or before maturity, which shall not exceed forty years from the time of contracting the same; provided, however, that the City and County of San Francisco may at any time pay the unpaid claims with interest thereon for materials furnished to and work done for said city and county during the forty third and forty-fourth fiscal years, out of the income and revenue of any succeeding year or years; provided, that any and all claims for making, repairing altering, or for any work done upon, or for any material furnished for any street, lane, alley, court, place, or sidewalk, or for the construction of any sewer or sewers in said city and county are hereby excepted from the provisions of this section; and in determining any claims permitted to be paid by this section, no statute of limitations shall apply in any manner; and provided further, that the City of Vallejo, in Solano County, may pay its existing indebtedness incurred in the construction of its waterworks, whenever two-thirds of the electors thereof voting at an election held for that purpose, shall so decide. Any indebtedness or liability incurred contrary to this provision, with the exception hereinbefore cited, shall be void.

Amendment Number Two.

(Being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 10.)

A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution of the State, by adding a new section, to be known and designated as section seven and one-half, article eleven thereof, providing for the framing by the inhabitants of counties of local county government acts for their own government. The said proposed new section to read as follows:

Section 7½. The inhabitants of any county may frame a county government act for their own government, relating to the matters hereinafter specified, and consistent with, and subject to, the Constitution and laws of this State, by causing a board of fifteen freeholders, who have been, for at least five years, qualified electors of such county, to be elected by the qualified electors of such county at any general or special election, whose duty it shall be within ninety days after such election, to prepare and propose a county government act for such county, which shall be signed in duplicate by the members of such board, or a majority of them, and returned, one copy thereof to the Board of Supervisors, or other legislative body of such county, and the other copy to be sent to the recorder of deeds of the county. Such proposed county government act shall then be published in two papers of general circulation in such county, or if there be not two such papers, then in one only, for at least twenty days, and within not less than thirty days after such publication it shall be submitted to the qualified electors of such county, at a general or special election, and if a majority of such qualified electors voting thereon shall ratify the same, it shall thereafter be submitted to the Legislature for its rejection or approval, as a whole, without power of alteration or amendment, and if approved by a majority of the members elected to each house, it shall be the county government act of such county, and shall in such case become the organic law thereof and supersede any existing county government act, and all amendments thereof, and all special laws inconsistent with such county government act.

A copy of such county government act, certified by the President of the Board of Supervisors or other legislative body of such county, and authenticated by the seal of such county, setting forth the submission of such county government act to the electors, and its ratification by them, shall be made in duplicate and deposited, one in the office of the Secretary of State, the other, after being recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds in the county, among the archives of the county.

All courts shall take judicial notice thereof. The county government act so ratified may be amended, at intervals of not less than two years, by proposals therefor, submitted by the legislative authority of the county, to the qualified electors thereof, at a general or special election held at least forty days after the publication of such proposals for twenty days in a newspaper of general circulation in such county, and ratified by at least three-fifths of the qualified electors voting thereon, and approved by the Legislature as herein provided for the approval of the county government act. In submitting any such county government act any alternative article or proposition may be presented for the choice of the voters, and may be voted on separately without prejudice to others.

It shall be competent in all county government acts framed under the authority given by this section, to provide for the manner in which, the times at which, and the terms for which the several township and county officers, other than Judges of the Superior Court, shall be elected or appointed; for their compensation; for the number of such officers, for the consolidation or segregation of offices, for the number of deputies that each officer shall have, and for the compensation payable to each of such deputies, for the manner in which, the times in which, and the terms for which the members of all boards of election shall be elected or appointed; and for the constitution, regulation, compensation, and government of such boards, and of their clerks and attaches; also, to prescribe the manner and method by which all elections by the people shall be conducted and may in addition determine the tests and conditions upon which electors, political parties and organizations may participate in any primary election.

Whenever any county has in the manner and method herein pointed out, adopted any county government act, and the same shall have been approved by the Legislature as aforesaid, the directions of sections four and five of this article providing for the uniformity of a system of county governments throughout the State, and likewise providing for the election and appointment of officers, and the regulation of their compensation, shall not apply. Said county government act shall, as to any of the matters hereinabove provided for and declared by such county government act, not be subject to any law or amendment enacted by the Legislature, except by amendment first submitted to the electors and ratified in the manner hereinabove set forth.

Amendment Number Three.

(Being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 41.)

A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution of the State, by adding a new section, to be known and designated as section five and one-half, article six, thereby providing for the organization of a court, to be known as the Court of Claims. The said proposed new section to read as follows:

Section 5½. The Court of Claims shall consist of any three Judges of the Superior Court, who may be requested by the Governor to hold court at the regular terms thereof. The Court of Claims shall have exclusive jurisdiction to hear and determine all claims of every kind and character against the State under such laws as may be passed by the Legislature, and its judgment thereon shall be final. The terms of the Court of Claims shall be held as follows:

In the City of Los Angeles, commencing on the second Monday of March;

In the City and County of San Francisco, commencing on the second Monday in July, and

In the City of Sacramento, commencing on the second Monday in November of each year.

The Judges holding such terms of court shall receive no extra compensation therefor, but shall receive their actual expenses, to be paid out of the general fund of the State treasury. The Legislature shall enact all laws necessary to organize such court, to provide procedure thereof, and to carry out the provisions of this section.

Amendment Number Four.

(Being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution of the State, amending article eleven, by adding a new section thereto, to be known as section number five and one-half, relating to consolidated city and county governments. The said proposed new section to read as follows:

Section 5½. The provisions of section four and five of this article shall not, nor shall any legislation passed pursuant thereto, apply to any consolidated city and county government now existing or hereafter formed which shall have become, or shall become, organized under section seven, or secure a charter under section eight of this article

Amendment Number Five.

(Being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California, an amendment of section fifteen and section sixteen of article five of the Constitution of the State of California, by which it is proposed to amend said sections to read as follows:

Section 15. A Lieutenant-Governor shall be elected at the same time and place and in the same manner as the Governor, and his term of office and his qualifications shall be the same. He shall be president of the Senate, but shall only have a casting vote therein.

Section 16. In case of the impeachment of the Governor, or his removal from office, death, inability to discharge the powers and duties of his office, resignation, or absence from the State, the powers and duties of the office shall devolve upon the Lieutenant-Governor for the residue of the term, or until the disability shall cease. And should the Lieutenant-Governor be impeached, displaced, resign, die, or become incapable of performing the duties of his office, or be absent from the State, the president pro tempore of the Senate shall act as Governor until the vacancy in the office of Governor shall be filled at the next general election, when members of the Legislature shall be chosen, or until such disability of the Lieutenant-Governor shall cease. In case of a vacancy in the office of Governor for any of the reasons above named, and neither the Lieutenant-Governor nor the president pro tempore of the Senate shall succeed to the powers and duties of Governor, then the powers and duties of such office shall devolve upon the speaker of the Assembly, until the office of Governor shall be filled at such general election.

Amendment Number Six.

(Being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 38.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section six, article nine of the Constitution of the State of California, relating to grammar schools by which it is proposed to amend said section to read as follows:

Section 6. The public school system shall include primary and grammar schools, and such high schools, evening schools, normal schools, and technical schools as may be established by the Legislature or by municipal or district authority, but the entire revenue derived from the State school fund, and the State school tax, shall be applied exclusively to the support of primary and grammar schools. Grammar schools shall include schools organized in a school district, or union of school districts, having more than one thousand inhabitants, in which a course of study shall be taught which will prepare pupils to enter the agricultural, mining, or scientific department of the University of California.

Amendment Number Seven.

(Being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section two, of article four, of the Constitution, in relation to sessions of the Legislature, by which it is proposed to amend such section to read as follows:

Section 2. The sessions of the Legislature shall commence at twelve o'clock meridian on the first Monday after the first day of January next succeeding the election of its members, and shall be biennial unless the Governor shall in the interim convene the Legislature by proclamation. The Legislature shall then remain in session for twenty-five days, after which it must adjourn to some date not less than thirty nor more than sixty days from the time of adjournment. If the two houses fail to agree upon a time at which they will resume their session, the Governor shall by proclamation, fix a date for such reconvening, which shall be within the limits above described. Upon reassembling, the Legislature shall complete its session. No pay shall be allowed to members for a longer period than seventy-five days and no bill shall be introduced in either house except at the first twenty-five days of the session, without the consent of three-fourths of the members thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, Pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution and an act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An act to provide for the submission of proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State of California to qualified electors for their approval," approved March 7, A.D., 1893, the above described proposed amendments are hereby published and advertised to be voted upon by ballot, by the qualified electors of the State, at the election to be held throughout the State on

Tuesday, November 8, A. D., 1898.

The said proposed amendments are to be separately voted upon in manner and form as follows:

Each ballot used at such election must contain written or printed thereon the following words, whereupon the voter may express his choice as provided by law:

Amendment Number One, being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 41, (exempting certain claims against the city and county of San Francisco, and the existing indebtedness of the City of Vallejo for the construction of its water works from the provisions of the Constitution requiring such claims to be paid from the income and revenues of the year in which they were incurred.)	Yes
For the Amendment?	No
Amendment Number Two, being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 10, (providing for framing local county government acts, by inhabitants of counties for their government.)	Yes
For the Amendment?	No
Amendment Number Three, being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 44, (providing for the creation of a Court of Claims to determine claims against the State, and to consist of three Superior Judges designated by the Governor to serve without extra compensation.)	Yes
For the Amendment?	No
Amendment Number Four, being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37 (Exempting consolidated cities and counties, organized or to be organized, or holding a charter under the Constitution, from certain legislation in relation to counties.)	Yes
For the Amendment?	No
Amendment Number Five, being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36, (Relating to office of Governor, providing to succession thereto in certain cases, and removing disability of Lieutenant-Governor from holding other offices during term.)	Yes
For the Amendment?	No
Amendment Number Six, being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 38, (relating to and defining Grammar Schools.	Yes
For the Amendment?	No
Amendment Number seven, being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34 providing for adjournment of Legislature for not less than thirty nor more than sixty days during each session	Yes
For the amendment?	No

Witness my hand and the Great Seal of the State of California, the day and year herein first above written. JAMES H. BUDD, Governor.

Attest:
L. H. BROWN,
Secretary of State.

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